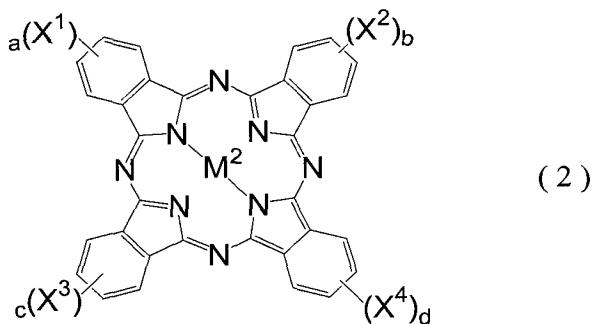
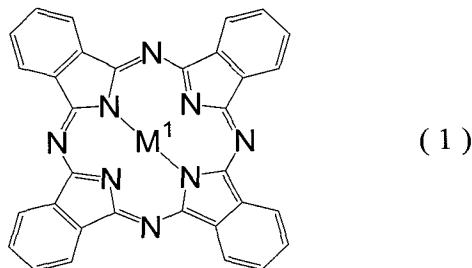


IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A phthalocyanine composite comprising both at least one phthalocyanine compound expressed by general formula (1) and at least one phthalocyanine compound expressed by general formula (2), and having a eutectic-crystalline structure:



where, in the general formulae (1) and (2),

M^1 and M^2 represent, independently of and differently from each other, at least one atom or atomic group selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, gallium, indium and titanium, that are capable of binding to a phthalocyanine,

X^1 - X^4 represent, independently of one another, a halogen atom, and

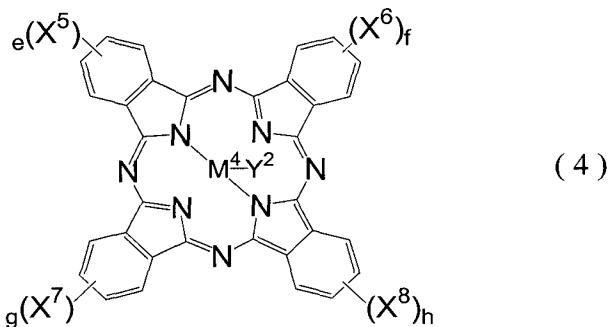
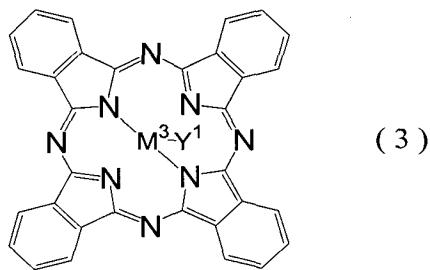
a , b , c , and d represent, independently of each other, an integer between 0 and 4 and satisfy

$$a+b+c+d \geq 1.$$

Claim 2 (Canceled).

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): A phthalocyanine composite according to claim 1, wherein said phthalocyanine composite is produced through a mechanical process for making amorphous state.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): A phthalocyanine composite comprising both at least one phthalocyanine compound expressed by general formula (3) and at least one phthalocyanine compound expressed by general formula (4), and having a eutectic-crystalline structure:



where, in the general formulae (3) and (4),

M^3 and M^4 each represent an atom selected from the 13th group of the long-form periodic table, M^3 and M^4 being atoms of the same kind,

X^5 - X^8 represent, independently of one another, a halogen atom,

Y^1 represents a monovalent bonding group capable of binding to M^3 ,

Y^2 represents a monovalent bonding group capable of binding to M^4 , at least either Y^1 or Y^2 being a halogen atom, and

e, f, g , and h represent, independently of one another, an integer between 0 and 4 and satisfy

$$e+f+g+h \geq 1.$$

Claim 5 (Canceled).

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): A phthalocyanine composite according to claim 4, wherein said phthalocyanine composite is produced through a mechanical process for making amorphous state.

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): A photoconductive material comprising a phthalocyanine composite according to any one of claims 1, 3-4 or 6.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): An electrophotographic photoreceptor comprising an electroconductive substrate and a photosensitive layer formed on said substrate, wherein said photosensitive layer contains a phthalocyanine composite according to any one of claims 1, 3-4 or 6.

Claim 9 (Canceled).

Claim 10 (Original): An electrophotographic photoreceptor cartridge comprising: an electrophotographic photoreceptor according to claim 8; and at least one of

a charge unit for charging said electrophotographic photoreceptor,
 an exposure unit for exposing the charged electrophotographic photoreceptor to form
 an electrostatic latent image thereon, and
 a development unit for developing the electrostatic latent image formed on the
 electrophotographic photoreceptor.

Claim 11 (Canceled).

Claim 12 (Original): An image forming apparatus comprising:
 an electrophotographic photoreceptor according to claim 8;
 a charge unit for charging said electrophotographic photoreceptor;
 an exposure unit for exposing the charged electrophotographic photoreceptor to form
 an electrostatic latent image thereon; and
 a development unit for developing the electrostatic latent image formed on the
 electrophotographic photoreceptor.

Claim 13 (Canceled).

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): The phthalocyanine composite according to claim
1, wherein $a + b + c + d = 1$.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented): The phthalocyanine composite according to claim
4, wherein $e + f + g + h = 1$.